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In re the application of: James S. Huston, Hermann Oppermann  Serial No.: 09/558,741  Filed: April 26, 2000  For: <i>BIOSYNTHETIC BINDING PROTEINS FOR IMMUNO-TARGETING</i>	Group Art Unit: 1642  Examiner: Alana M. Harris  Attorney Docket No.: CIBT-P01-130 (formerly PP0926.105)
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**Response to Restriction Requirement and Amendment**

Sir:

Pursuant to the telephone conference between the Examiner and the undersigned, please amend the claims and specification as follows.

A. Response to Restriction Requirement

It is believed that the amendment to the claims obviates the grounds for the restriction requirement. However, Applicants provisionally elect the Group I invention, though understand that amended claim 33 is generic to both Group I and Group II inventions.